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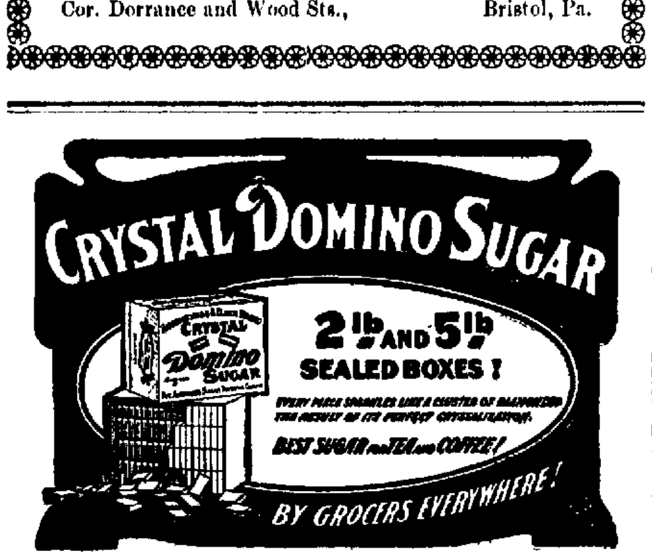

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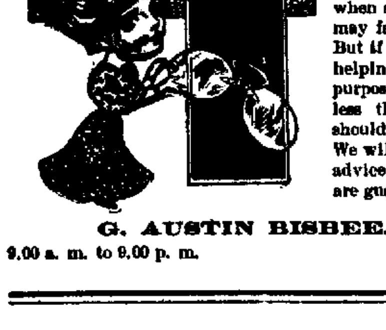

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Penns Manor.

Miss Violetta Vanhorn, of Bristol, was a recent guest of Edwin Greenlee and family.

Ernest S. Chapman, of Trenton, was calling on friends here on Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Howard Firth and children, of Fieldsboro, N. J., visited Mr. and Mrs. William Booth last week.

Clinton H. R. Greenlee and Robert Baker spent Sunday, the 15th, with Charles Appenzeller and family, of Emilie.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Brickmaier, of New York, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Innes last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Howard W. Carter will lead Christian Endeavor next Sunday evening. Topic—"Is Ours a Christian Nation?"

Miss Margaret Louderback, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday, the 15th, with her cousin, Miss Elizabeth Louderback.

Mr. and Mrs. Schuyler C. Stokes and Raymond Gauslíne spent Saturday and Sunday, the 14th and 15th, with William Wurst and family, Moorestown, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hoagland and children and Mrs. Anna Hoagland, of Hopewell, N. J., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Seidenstieker, last Saturday and Sunday.

The Christian Endeavor Social held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Stanley Raub on Wednesday evening of last week, was well attended, and the evening was enjoyed by all present.

Andalusia.

Motion pictures again tomorrow evening.

Miss Clara Frease has been ill with throat trouble.

Mrs. Joseph T. Wright was in the village on Sunday.

Miss May Minster attended the festival and visited friends here on Saturday.

Mrs. Josiah Bacon has been spending several days here visiting Mrs. William Chamberlin.

A new pastor, the Rev. Mr. Riley, was recently installed in the Presbyterian Church at Torresdale.

The Reverend George Eastman and wife, of Cincinnati, Ohio, were here this week visiting at his brother's.

The strawberry festival was in every way a gratifying success. The net receipts were, as we learn, just short of $60.

On Thursday of next week, June 2d, there will be a special meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary at All Saints rectory.

Miss Bertha Kepler is around again after being housed for four or five weeks with a light attack of scarlet fever. This will release from quarantine some junior members of the "Rod" Fries family who will be glad to get back to school again.

The Rev. William Groton, D. D., Dean of the Episcopal Divinity School in West Philadelphia, will preach at All Saints Church, Torresdale, on Sunday morning. He will present the claims and needs of the school and we are sure will interest his hearers in the greatly increasing prosperity and growth of that well known institution.

Mr. Meade, census taker for the Lower Bensalem district, has just completed his work of enumerating, tabulating and writing up, and has sent in his report to the office. We should have liked to give some of the more important statistics, had we known them, but that is, we understand, one of the sworn secrets of the census officials until the proper officials authorize their publication. Mr. Meade reports that for the most part he met with a very kind, fair and obliging reception in what is often a somewhat trying task. We hazzard the suggestion that this was due not only to the generally good natured disposition and intelligent character of the average Bensalem citizen, but also to the dignified and courteous and tactful ways of the census taker himself.

Oxford Valley.

Mrs. I. F. Spencer will be Christian Endeavor leader Sunday evening.

The Sunday School is preparing for a Childrens' Day service on June 19.

Mrs. C. W. Spencer was visiting relatives at Chestnut Hill on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fabian, of Newtown, were visiting at John L. Tomlinson's on Sunday.

Garrett Goodnoe attended the funeral of William McCormick, at Wilkesbarre, Pa., on Tuesday.

Mrs. Amy Vandegrift and Ernest Vandegrift, of Newportville, were visiting in the village on Friday.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address: F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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WARM POLITICS

County Seat Getting Hot Over the Political Situation.

ANTI-GANG MEETING

Nobody Loves Buckman, it is Said. Review of Criminal Court Proceedings.

Doylestown, May 25.

This has been a hot week in County Seat politics. Grundy's henchmen have been quietly investigating the sentiment of the faithful and find that while a good many are willing to stand for Gilkeson, do not seriously object to Clymer, they utterly repudiate Buckman. About the first question they ask is, "Who is he?" and echo answers, "Who?"

Then, too, they find that large numbers of the rank and file are seriously disgruntled and want to know why they are compelled to vote for Grundy's choice, feeling, as most of them do, that they are perfectly able to make their own selection and wondering why a man of the sterling worth and integrity, a man of affairs, well educated and in every respect a good man, a man like Ezra Carrell, one who stood the trials of years ago when Republicans in office were even scarcer than Democrats are now, in Bucks county, a man whose Republicanism is tried and true should be turned down for a stranger and when their wonder is satisfied by being told that "It is Grundy's wish," then they ask, who is Grundy, that he should dictate to me?

And then there are the side steppers, the men who have always voted for the nominee—as soon as they find out who he is. All this and more the canvass has developed, so much more that when Pete came up last week on his usual bail going trip he read the Riot Act, with a great big R to the dispensers of gang dope at the County Seat and gave them fair warning that Doylestown must redeem itself from the disgrace of the Justice of the Peace Waterloo last spring. To accomplish this end all sorts of means are being used, promises of office to the ambitious, threats to the weak-kneed and scary ones, persuasion to the independent.

Why it is even alleged that those whose jobs hang on the beck and nod of Grundy's primate here have been compelled to buy their cigarettes at certain places whose proprietors must be placated, even if those places do not keep the brands the "Willieboys" delight to inhale, and it is the same with all of their other purchases, no matter what they are, they must be bought from certain stores.

And while all this was going on that wicked, wicked article in the Philadelphia North American came out, the one that says that the infallible Grundy gave way "to a burst of peevish anger." The "anger" was bad enough but "peevish anger" was too much and their was wailing and gnashing of teeth among the faithful. To think that Grundy, their "Joe," should even be accused of being peevish, it was too much, too much, and to add insult to injury, the article further says "Then it was that Grundy boiled over" and called Huey's cadidacy against Irving Perpetual Wanger without his, Grundy's, consent, "a dirty, contemptible trick."

Well, maybe that didn't make 'em mad. Why mad is no name for it. They at once "boiled over," to get into Joe's class, and said with one accord that the North American "was a dirty contemptible sheet, not fit for a decent man to have in his house," and promptly bought another the very next day. They also bought the Sunday edition and read three times over the article headed "Tariff Pap for Grundy," bearing all of it stoically as a red Indian until they saw that "The Grundy people would like, in particular, to have Jacob M. Winder, of Bristol, a liquor dealer, nominated for the State Senate on the Democratic ticket, to weaken the Democracy." Then they stood up on their hind legs and hollered murder.

ANTI-GANG MEETING.

The anti-gang candidates, Carrell, Ball and Smith, will open their campaign here on Friday night with a mass meeting in the new armory to be addressed by Judge W. A. Covington and others. It is said that all of the liquor men here, big and little will be in attendance, either in person or by proxy. The Bucks County Liquor League is hedging anyhow on its deal with Grundy and would like to call all bets off. They now want to win and see which cart the melon will be loaded on and then they will climb in and help cut the melon. There are a whole lot of them "from Missouri" now, and before their pledge can be obtained they say "show me." Altogether, with the strong anti-gang feeling all over the county, the defection of certain hitherto assured assets in the way of votes, Grundy is in bad shape. Then, too, the Wanger-Huey altercation is making here a whole lot of trouble, for Huey, too, is the fortunate possessor of "barrels." So it's open another on Joe, let him put up the price of milk, eggs and spring chickens and let the fight go merrily on—at his expense.

THE CRIMINAL COURT.

May court was a long drawn and tedious term. None of the cases were of special importance and all the cases lacked interest. Two of the Bristol youths, William Carrell and Daniel Dugan, were convicted of highway robbery and caught the indeterminate sentence of two and one-half to ten years in the Eastern Penitentiary.

Another one, whom the Justice of the Peace should have seen well spanked and sent to bed instead of to Court, an Italian, by name, Donato Esposita, was convicted of an assault and battery on another Italian boy, Roberto Natali. Natali says that Esposita stabbed him with a pair of shears, at the Corona Kid Works. Esposita said it was an accident. Sentence suspended.

Another seemingly trifling case was that of the Commonwealth vs. Alfred Hunter, charged with an attempt to commit rape on a buxom Bristol girl, Lillie Larue. The evidence did not warrant a conviction so Hunter got off with simple assault and battery, but unfortunately for him he had also resisted arrest by Officer Julian McLaughlin, and he was also convicted on that charge. Sentenced to six months for the assault and battery and one year for resisting an officer, the sentences to run concurrently. His previous record was very much against him, otherwise his sentence would have probably been much lighter.

Evelyn Gardener, a resident of Perkasie, charged by Rosa Roeder, also a resident of Perkasie, with rape. The story of the prosecution was an impossible one in addition to which the defendant proved by a cloud of witnesses that he could not possibly have been at the place where the alleged rape took place on the day it was alleged. It took the jury just ten minutes to acquit him.

George Riegel, of Bristol, pleaded guilty to the charge of felonious entry and larceny. The prosecutor was Frank Appleton, a Bristol restaurant keeper. On April 27 George broke into the restaurant and stole cigars, cigarettes and money. After his arrest a dress suit case belonging to him was found in which there was a wig, mask and a large assortment of keys, nearly a hundred keys of all sizes. George said he had bought the mask and wig to attend a select masquerade in Hoboken and that he found the keys, one at a time, in empty box cars. He had evidently started out to burgle on a large scale and had provided himself with all the minor appliances including a "gun."

The most interesting case to a large number of Bucks county people, especially those who have to use rail or trolley road crossings, was that of Edward Hieds, charged by the Reading Railway Company, with malicious mischief. It appeared, from the testimony, that the Reading Railway maintained safety gates at a crossing called the D. J. crossing, near Roelofs, and that the operator kept the gates down except at such times as a team wished to pass through, then he raised them, but, according to the testimony of a number of men who use the crossing, the operator was a hard man to get into action. He was asleep, across the road visiting at a neighboring house or intently perusing a newspaper and the person desirous of crossing had to get out, hitch his team, wake up the operator, hunt him at a neighbor's or interrupt his studies to get though, causing a delay of from ten to thirty minutes. Mr. Hieds resented this and on several occasions, when he could not get the operator, broke down the gate, the last occasion causing his arrest. Hieds claimed "that the method of operating the gates was a public nuisance." The jury agreed with him, and practically acquitted him. Now all of the D. J. crossing people carry an axe, it's handier.

Altogether it was about the slowest court we have had in a long, long while.

Parkland.

Mrs. Moss was at her cottage on the lower grounds last Sunday.

Mrs. James McGrath was a business visitor in the city last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gabell were at their cottage on Prospect avenue on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Locke have returned from a week's sojourn at Atlantic City.

Charles A. Park was visiting his brother, Lyle Park, in Jenkintown one day last week.

Mrs. H. A. Richardson, of Brooklyn, N. Y., has been visiting Mrs. C. V. Schnellermann.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dennis spent Saturday and Sunday at the "Florence Cottage" in Spring Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. William Pepper were at their cottage on Highland avenue on Saturday and Sunday last.

Miss Marguerite A. Watson was a Sunday guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Rogers.

Mrs. William Bell and sister, Mrs. Eleanor Woolverton, have been spending a few days at their cottage here.

Mrs. Charles A. Dunk and daughter, Miss Bertha Dunk, of Trevose, were recent guests of Mrs. William L. Park.

Allen Green and family will shortly take possession for the season of Mrs. Leila C. Greenlee's cottage in Spring Grove.

After spending some time with friends in the city, Miss Marie McGrath has returned to her home at Parkland.

Firman Mather has returned home after a week's visit at the home of his brother, Roland Mather, of Bayonne, N. J.

After more than a week spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Tetlow on avenue C., Mrs. Horace Jobes has returned to her home in Germantown.

Parkland school closed on Monday for the summer vacation. There were recitations by the pupils, after which there was a treat of cake and lemonade by the teacher, Miss Kate Alcott, of Newtown.

Two more new members were in attendance at the Progressive Lyceum held at "Floral Heights," last Saturday afternoon, making seven additional ones this spring. Who will be the next to join?

Mrs. Marcia M. Gooding last week returned to her home in New York State accompanied by her neice, Mrs. Leila C. Greenlee, and the Misses Lillian and Esther Greenlee, who will spend the summer with her.

Announcement has been made that the first dance of the season will be held at the new pavilion on the town grounds next Saturday night under the management of F. M. Fiedler. There will also be a dance at the same place on the following Monday night.

He Sees Double.

His name isn't really Guzzler, but it will answer the purpose, and it is descriptive. Guzzler has a habit of looking upon the wine when it is red frequently to the extent that he can see two bottles where only one exists. Now, Guzzler is married, and recently the stork paid a visit to his abode. Several days after the event two of his friends met, and the following conversation ensued:

"Hello, old man! Hear about the doings over at Guzzler's?"

"No. Another birthday party?"

"Yes, in a way. Guzzler's wife has presented him with twins."

"How do you know?"

"How do I know? Well, I ought to know. Guzzler told me himself."

"Well, I wouldn't place too much dependence on it. You know Guzzler generally sees double!"—New York Times.

Paying the Doctor.

Some American doctors are in favor of the contract system for medical service, but they are still a long way from the Chinese scheme of stopping the doctor's salary when the patient falls ill. The writer knows a New Yorker who says that if ever he is threatened with an operation he will ask the surgeon what it is going to cost. Then he will hand him the amount at once with the assurance that the fee goes whether the operation comes off or doesn't. He reasons that the doctor will then have no possible temptation if it comes to a toss up whether to operate or take a chance.—New York Press.

A Rabelais Hoax.

Rabelais, being out of money, once tricked the police into taking him from Marseilles to Paris on a charge of treason. He made up some packages of brick dust and labeled them "Poison for the royal family." The officers took Rabelais 700 miles only to be told at the end of their journey that it was April 1 and the affair was a hoax. Of course, as Rabelais was the privileged wit of the royal family, he was forgiven.

Altogether Different.

Suitor—I have come to ask you for your daughter's hand. Father—Well the fact is we are pretty crowded here as it is, and I— Suitor—Oh, I intend to take her away from home if I marry her! Father—Oh, well, in that case— But you did give me an awful start, my boy.—Boston Transcript.

A Lovers' Quarrel.

"Hello, Fitzy! Where did you get that black eye?"

"Oh, it was only a lovers' quarrel."

"Lovers' quarrel! Why, your girl did not give you that, did she?"

"No; it was her other lover."

AGED FRIEND DEAD

Amos Satterthwaite, of Langhorne, Passed Away. Langhorne News.

Amos Satterthwaite, aged 74 years, died on Sunday after a long illness of typhoid fever. He was a prominent Friend, upright, honest and kindly, the very embodiment of the Friendly principles; honored by all who knew him. His death will be felt deeply outside the bounds of the inner circle. He is survived by three children, Mary S. Taylor, Agnes Satterthwaite, and Pierson Satterthwaite, his wife and son, William, dying recently of the same malady. The funeral service was held at the Friends Meeting House on Fourth day at 3 o'clock.

This Sunday morning the local post of the G. A. R. will attend memorial service at the Methodist Episcopal Church. The subject of the sermon will be, "The Church and the Rebellion." Miss Florence Moyer, of Philadelphia, will sing at the morning service and Harry L. Ridge in the evening. All are cordially invited.

Sorosis spent a very pleasant afternoon at its closing meeting on Thursday, the entertainment committee in charge. The play and tableaux were much appreciated. The vocal selections by Miss Mary White, of Trenton; Miss Grace Pryor, accompanist, and reading by Miss Elizabeth J. Esherick, found great favor.

May 28th is opening day at the Bucks County Country Club. There will be golf and tennis and a tea for the afternoon at which time we expect to hear from the chairmen of the different committees, and a musicale in the evening completes the programme. There will be a dance on Monday evening.

Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Matthews to the wedding of Mr. Matthew's sister, Madeline, to James Nelson Allison, on the afternoon of Wednesday, the eighth of June, at 4 o'clock at "Terracedorf," Langhorne Manor. The wedding- reception will be at five o'clock.

The Brotherhood and Ladies Auxiliary have spent much time in the preparation of the entertainment to be given this Saturday evening, May 28th, in the I. O. O. F. Hall. Two plays will be given, "The Old Maids' Convention" and "The Model Wife."

Miss Elizabeth B. Justice, Miss Rose Newbold, Mrs. Joseph Esherick, Miss Elizabeth J. Esherick, Miss Sara E. Allen, Miss Rachel A. Child were among those who enjoyed the outing on Saturday of the Delaware Valley Science Club.

The Brotherhood and Ladies Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church will give an entertainment in I. O. O. F. Hall, Saturday evening, May 28th, by home talent. Two plays are scheduled. Admission, 25c; reserved seats, 35c.

The Bellevue opens May 28th.

Mrs. Elizabeth Kitchen has been quite ill.

Warren J. LeCompte is having his residence painted.

Mrs. Joseph K. Harding has not been as well as usual.

Fred Specht has improved his property by repainting.

John P. Black held his annual carriage sale on Wednesday.

Mrs. Jessie Lukens entertained by a luncheon on Wednesday.

M. Harvey Ivins has a handsome new auto, the "Speedwell."

Yardley defeated the home team at baseball on Saturday by 13 to 3.

Mrs. Frank Minster, of Bristol, was a recent guest of Mrs. Edward Appleton.

Mrs. Clarence Green, of Bethayres, was visiting her father, A. F. Porter, on Monday.

Edward Ridge, of near Feasterville, has been visiting at Russell Clayton's.

Miss Lillie Thomas, of Philadelphia, is spending some time at Mrs. William Hibbs.

About $10 was made by the Athletic Association of the Langhorne High School at their bake sale.

Mrs. Thomas L. Allen and Miss Esther Bunting Justice will entertain June fourth from four until six.

Several from here attended the semi-annual meeting of the Historical Association at Bristol this week.

A rummage sale was held by the Presbyterian Church, Thursday afternoon, May 26, from 2 to 6 o'lock.

A strawberry festival is planned for June 4th in the Bungalow Grove under the management of the Ladies Auxiliary.

The graduating class of the Friends Central, of which Miss Laura E. Parry is a member, enjoyed a house party at the shore.

Harper Dripps and family, of Philadelphia, are again occupying the Reifsnyder property on Flowers avenue for the summer.

The C. E. of the Methodist Church held a very enjoyable "Conundrum Tea" on Thursday evening from 7 to 9 in the church parlor.

Ex-Judge W. A. Covington, of Georgia, spoke very forcibly and eloquently at the local option meeting in the hall on Tuesday.

Eden.

Mrs. Howard Bailey, Sr., spent Sunday with relatives in Holmesburg.

Miss Inez Keating, of Bristol, recently spent several days with relatives in town.

Rev. N. N. Harter was an attendant at the Lutheran Synod in Philadelphia last week.

Mrs. H. B. Sell, of Germantown, was recently visiting her sister, Mrs. William D. Lukens.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thompson, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Corson.

Mrs. Allen Vansant and daughter, Hazel, were recently visiting Mrs. John Moore, of Trenton.

Miss Leila Paterson, of Morrisville, spent several days of last week at the home of her brother, George E. Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lukens and sons, Joseph and Roscoe, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Freeley, of Norristown.

Franklin R. Cawl and Walter B. Satterthwaite, of Westtown Boarding School, spent the week-end with the latter's mother, Mrs. George Satterthwaite.

Judging by the number of people present, the festival held on Breisford's lawn on Saturday evening by the Daughters of Liberty, was a financial success.

Joseph McCulla, of Waterford, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. James McDonald, of Frankford, and Mrs. Herman Dill and daughter, of Wilmington, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Gregg.

There is no tide at New Orleans, Louisiana. At Eastport, Maine, it is eighteen feet.

In the course of his aeronautical experiments M. Bleriot has met with fifty accidents.

Among the suicides, men predominate.

Newtown.

Miss Emma Rose, of Philadelphia, was visiting friends here last week.

Garrett H. Hunter is attending New York yearly meeting this week.

Mrs. Sara F. Cary has issued invitations for a tea on Friday, June 3rd.

Miss Martha Morris, of Washington, D. C., has been visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mawson have gone to Atlantic City to spend the summer.

J. Edward Davis has accepted a position at Hotel Brunswick, Asbury Park, N. J.

Captain Thomas P. Chambers and sons made a business trip to North Carolina last week.

Miss Helen Watson, of Horsham, was a week-end guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Anna Linton.

Miss Lillian Price, of Philadelphia, was a week-end guest of her brother, George Price, in the township.

A memorial service for the late King Edward was held in St. Lukes P. E. Church on Friday evening.

Robert Shields represented Siloam Lodge of I. O. O. F. at the Grand Lodge at Williamsport last week.

Mrs. Jesse S. Wilson and daughter, of Altoona, are spending two weeks with the family of R. Comly Wilson.

Misses Elma and Sophie Worthington, of Philadelphia, were week-end guests of their aunts on S. Chancellor street.

Rev. Charles G. Ellis, of Rondout, N. Y., has had the degree of Ph. D. granted him by the University of New York.

Miss Bell Vansant entertained the faculty of George School and a number of the senior class at her house on S. Chancellor street.

Last Thursday evening the members and friends of the M. E. Church tendered a surprise to Rev. and Mrs. J. J. Kerslake, the new pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Hicks entertained with cards on Monday evening, the guest of honor being Mrs. Isaac Geer, of Logansport, Indiana.

Mrs. Henry C. Thornton and sister, Miss Goodman and daughter, Mrs. Isaac Geer, entertained a number of lady friends at luncheon on Thursday at one o'clock.

Mrs. Frank Graff and son, Greer, and her mother, Mrs. Stuart, of Worthington, Pa., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Blackfan for a few days this week.

Miss Elizabeth Marshall, of Southampton, was a guest of Mr and Mrs. William Smith on Saturday. In the evening about sixty of her friends from Philadelphia, Southampton and Newtown tendered her a surprise shower, when she received many beautiful gifts that will be attractive in her new home.

Blood For Bread.

Hunger! To what lengths will it drive men! Here is a passage from "Force," a tale of Napoleon's days describing how ten veteran hussars under a young officer, after two days without food, fought like fiends for a loaf of bread stolen from a woodman:

"He trembled with covetousness, but he did not move. He was starving, but he was an officer.

"The foremost rider speared the loaf up with his saber, clutched it and began to eat. The others quickly closed in on him. He was gripped from behind and half strangled. The bread fell into the mud. The men then began to fight in bitter earnest, and their sabers flashed dimly in the falling rain. One of them reeled under a saber stroke and fell back on his horse.

"He (the officer) flung himself in the melee and was thrown from his horse. As he crawled along the mud out of the way of the trampling hoofs he put his hand on the bread. His fears at once vanished. He bent over his prize, hiding it from view of the struggling soldiers, and lowered his head and got the loaf under his teeth and ate it."

Nature's Handiwork.

The down upon the peach or plum is so delicate and so thickly set that one cannot touch the fruit with a needle's point without breaking the tender stalk, and yet the dew of the night covers the whole surface of the fruit and disappears in the morning, leaving the gossamer growth more orderly and beautiful than before. The dew covers every leaf of the giant oak, and the mighty tree drinks in the refreshing moisture to its thirsty heart through millions of pores, and the iron trunk that has withstood a thousand storms is made stronger by the gentle strength of the dew. The silent fall of the dew is caused and controlled by agencies of the most tremendous power. The same power which shakes a whole continent with its subterranean thunder is the same as that which encircles the finest filament of thistledown with a coronet of dewy gems so small that they do not bend the delicate stalks with their weight.—London Globe.

Weight of Atmosphere.

Atmosphere is the name applied to the gaseous envelope that surrounds the globe. It consists of a mechanical union of nitrogen and oxygen in the ratio of four to one, together with a relatively small amount of carbonic acid gas and a little water vapor. Its thickness is about fifty miles, although it probably extends in an attenuated form as far as 500 miles. This is inferred from the observation of luminous meteors. It exerts a pressure of fifteen pounds to the square inch at the earth's surface and weighs over eleven and a half trillions of pounds. Each adult inhales one gallon of air per minute and consumes thirty ounces of oxygen daily. An ordinary gas jet consumes as much oxygen as five persons.

The Scoffer.

"Here," solemnly said the Bostonian, "General Warren fell."

"So?" replied the gentleman from Chicago, running a speculative eye up and down the perpendicular of Bunker Hill monument. "Must have been a swell subject for a moving picture act."—Puck.

As Good as Refused.

"And she refused you?"

"Practically. She said she would marry me as soon as I settled down and went to work at something worth while."—Chicago Record-Herald.

The Chinese Burglar.

"The Chinese burglar is the most difficult to nab," declared Lecoq, the detective. "I might say he is impossible to nab. When this yellow scoundrel goes burgling he goes naked and covered with oil, and thus he is as slippery as an eel. But, you say, why not nab him by the pigtail, hey? The answer to that is that his pigtail is done up in a knot on top of his head and stuck full of needles and hatpins with the points turned outward. You often see a Chinaman in Pekin or Shanghai with his clothes stained with oil and with tiny red pricks all over him. He's been having trouble with a burglar."

MEMORIAL DAY AT HULMEVILLE

G. A. R. Post Will Have Exercises Also at Langhorne and Eden. Hulmeville Items of Interest.

Hulmeville, May 25.

The annual Memorial services will be held at Hulmeville, Eden and Langhorne on Sunday and Monday, May 29 and 30.

Commander Burton, of Hugh Martindale Post, No. 366, G. A. R., has issued the following general order:

On Sunday, May 29, the Post will meet at post room at 8.30 o'clock and in company with the Eden Council, No 388, O. of G. A., will proceed to the M. E. Church.

In the evening of the same day the Post and Council will meet at 7.30 in front of the Lutheran Church, Eden, where services will be held by Rev. Mr. Harter.

The Memorial Day programme at Hulmeville and Langhorne, Monday, May 30, is as follows:

The Post will form in line at 8.30 a. m. at Hulmeville at Illick's store and proceed accompanied with the children and other societies to Beechwood Cemetery to decorate the graves of departed comrades. After Post service at the graves the Post and others will assemble at the speakers' stand and be addressed by Rev. W. W. Sweet, of Langhorne, and others.

After services at Beechwood the Post will take a trolley for Langhorne. The Post will meet again at 2 o'clock p. m. and proceed to decorate the graves of departed comrades at Langhorne. Memorial services in I. O. O. F. Hall, Langhorne, where the principal address will be by the Rev. W. T. Johnston.

The Sons of Veterans, Order of O. G. A., of Eden, and all the soldiers and sailors and all other organizations and schools, as well as the general public are cordially invited to join and assist in the exercises of the day in paying tribute to the departed heroes who so bravely defended our country's flag. The Post will be very thankful for flowers.

By order of Memorial committtee.

Mrs. Archie Reed, of Olney, was a visitor in town last week.

Miss Dorothy Myers, of Philadelphia, was a recent visitor in town.

The preacher for next Sunday morning at the M. E. Church will be Mr. Illick.

Mr. and Mrs. George Reed were visiting Mrs. Amy Worthington last Sunday.

Oscar Harrison has built the concrete walls for his new house on Walnut street.

Miss Belle Scott, of Eddington, was visiting Miss Alice Stackhouse last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Ella Slack, of Yardley, is spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Alexander Crosson.

Miss Mary Anna Worthington, of Trevose, was visiting Mrs. Amy Worthington, last Saturday.

Mrs. Gussie Pyle and mother, Mrs. Rose Ridge, have moved to their summer residence on Water street.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Haines and son, of Trenton, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. James T. Vansant last Sunday.

Mrs. Deborah Flowers, of Trenton, was visiting Mrs. Harry Smith and Mrs. Cyrus Smith last Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. R. J. MacBeth and family, of Allentown, have been spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. William Harrison.

Joseph McCullan, of Massachusetts, was visiting at the home of George LeCompte and family on Saturday and Sunday.

The Epworth League meeting of the M E. Church will be led by J. C. Everitt next Sunday evening. The topic will be a missionary subject.

Mrs. Orville Johnson and son, Mrs. Jacob Kunsman, of Bangor, and Mrs. Samuel Witham, of Philadelphia, were week-end visitors at the home of H. J. Illick and family.

On Wednesday afternoon the Mothers' Guild of Grace P. E. Church tendered Mr. and Mrs. Trummer a farewell reception at their home. Mrs. Trummer was a very active member of that church. On Tuesday of next week they will hold a public sale of their household goods and the next day they will leave for Germany.

Fallsington.

Henry Heavener purchased the Bailey Cutler property for $1985.

Service are now held in All Saints Church at 7 p. m. instead of 4 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Fowler, of Philadelphia, were Sunday guests at Philip Longhurst's.

Mrs. Willitts Farlee, Mrs. George Moore, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. George Moore, Jr., and daughter were Sunday guests at M. W. Moon's.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Joshua Cope and Catharine Downs, both of this place, to be held in the Orthodox Meeting House on June 1st.

As an Indian in the employ of Dr. Richards was plowing in his lot, the horse became frightened and in some way was quite badly cut by coming in contact with the sharp edge of the plow.

James Mercer, janitor of the office at West Morrisville yards, added several beds of flowers to the lawn of that place, making it a beauty spot among a setting of coal cars, locomotives, freight cars and other railroad equipments.

Some unwelcome visitors entered the house of Thomas Clucas on Sunday night, and secured a gold watch and ten dollars in money. Mr. Kirby heard a noise about his house and got up in time to see the fleeing form of a man. Several other people were disturbed the same night.

Huey Doing Good Already.

Collegeville Independent.

That a great amount of good has already been derived by the people of Montgomery and Bucks counties from the announcements of Wm. G. Huey, of Lower Merion, anti-Cannon candidate for Congressional nomination from the Eighth district, is evident from a casual glance through this section.

Aside from the fact that a gift of cannons for Valley Forge has come from Congressman Irving P. Wanger, a decided increase is apparent in the allotment of free garden seeds and many extra copies of government reports, cross country school libraries being especially favored. Wanger's postmasters have taken to giving banquets which are much appreciated also.

Meanwhile Wanger has taken up a new residence in Norristown, in case it may be that he will find it essential to come back from Washington to establish a permanent home.

Many a Day is Spoiled

By a cough which cannot be broken by ordinary remedies. But why not try a medicine that will cure any cough that any medicine can cure? That is Kemp's Balsam. It is recommended by doctors and nurses, and it costs only 25 cents at any druggist's or dealer's. Keep a bottle always in the house and you will always be prepared to treat a cold or cough before it causes any suffering at all.

An alderman of the city of London holds office for life.

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"No more Cannonism or protection of the vested interests, to the injury of the public."—William G. Huey, Independent Republican candidate for Congress. Go to the primaries on Saturday of next week. Polls open from 2 to 8 p. m.

Buckman voted at Harrisburg for Penrose in preference to Sheatz for United States Senator, and may be counted on to vote for Oliver, Penrose's and the trusts' candidate for Senator. Vote for Carrell who will do his own thinking.

Mr. Huey, the Independent Republican candidate for Congress says "too high a tariff protects special interests and increases the prices to the consumer." Mr. Huey is for a revision of those tariff schedules which are too high- Schedule K, for instance.

"The first requisite of a good tariff," says Chairman Payne in defense of his tariff act, "is that it must meet the expenditures of the government. From the day the bill went into effect it has accomplished all that was predicted for it." The expenditures of the government since the enactment of the Aldrich-Payne tariff law exceed the revenues by over $35,000,000, and this is the measure of its failure to meet what Mr. Payne prescribes as the first requirement of a good tariff.

George T. Oliver was defeated in his own district for delegate to the Chicago Republican National Convention by a practically unknown candidate. Yet a machine Legislature, including Buckman and Clymer, elected him to fill the unexpired term of Senator Knox. The next Legislature will be required to elect Oliver's successor. Vote for Carrell, Ball and Smith, at the primaries on Saturday afternoon of next week. They will not take orders from the Penrose "gang."

The speech in the House on Friday of the new Democratic Congressman from New York state, Mr. Havens, was at least calculated to emphasize the great mix-up of current politics. He showed himself to be a better Republican on the Hughes issues than the machine Republican leaders of that state; and a better Taft administration man than the standpatters (in that he favors the $250,000 appropriation for the tariff investigating board). And with all this he is able to sit harmoniously on the Democratic side of the House.

It is said that the sound of bagpipes will cure catilepsy. We should think it likely. A piano will often cure a man of general languor and depression and make his blood flow so fast and free that he will get "all het up" and prance around as though he had never had any depression at all. Music affects the ideals, too. A cornet or violin played by a beginner who is not too correct about rules will often make a man want to move into the country, and the singing in the country church will sometimes make him want to move back again.

Memorial Day will be observed throughout the nation on Monday. As one year succeed another the ranks of the Civil War veterans grow thinner and thinner and in but a few short years more there will be little left of those legions who sprang to the defense of our country at the first shot on Sumpter and responded to the calls for troops by President Lincoln. It is a pathetic sight, indeed, which will be witnessed on Monday when those bent and grizzled veterans will march to the graves of their fallen comrades and pay their tributes to the memory of those who offered their lives that we might live in a united, loyal country, under one flg and one government.

The Norristown correspondent of the Collegeville Independent after a view of the political situation in the Congressional district makes the following observation:

This will be a short and sharp primary campaign. The sudden development of a contest in both the Republican and Democratic ranks for the Congressional nomination has given the leaders on both sides a rude awakening. Unprepared for an unexpected attack on Wanger, resulted in the organization being worsted in the first bout, in that their efforts to sidetrack Huey from being a candidate failed. Even the faithful Grundy got scorched. Now it is up to the Bristol bachelor to save the day, for the county leaders realize that Wanger's name on the ticket has a tendency to do more harm than good to the interest of the organization's legislative candidates.

The funeral of a monarch is a rare sight, even where kings and queens abound, and mankind would not be mortal if such an event did not prove an enormous attraction to the populace. The descriptions of the street scenes in London last Friday are not exaggerated. Hundreds of thousands of persons undoubtedly struggled to view the passing funeral procession, which was unusually rich also in living monarchs from abroad. Spectators were there not only from every part of the United Kingdom, but from across the channel, having made the journey purposely to pay the late king this special honor. It was a most beautiful spring day, such a one as Edward VII would have keenly enjoyed, just as he relished all the enjoyable and beautiful things of life. Entombed, he now becomes a memory.

Mr. Carnegie's hero fund has its troubles, it seems. There is too much money and too little heroism; or, rather, the kind of heroism the fund was created to encourage doesn't begin to exhaust the income that was provided for its reward. The Chicago Record-Herald, in discussing the case, declares that the hero commission "is so heavily endowed that it is obliged to resort to all sorts of measures to prevent the income from piling up. Thus the commission made a large donation to San Francisco at the time of the earthquake. It has created pensions that appear to have no basis in heroism. It has diverted a large sum to the Pittsburg technical school, which had no right to look for such a gift. And it has just moved into handsome new quarters at a considerable and unnecessary expense. The fund, in fact, is moneygodden."

Talk about Cook's north pole story being a fake. What about the "tail" of Halley's comet?

Mr. Huey, Republican candidate for Congress, declares that "no corporation should be protected, either by tariff or by charter, so as to enable it to oppress the public." Speaker Cannon's lash would have no effect on Huey.

Republicans, free of independent faith, don't forget that the primaries for the nomination of candidates for Congress and the Legislature will be held on Saturday afternoon and evening of next week, June 4, from 2 to 8 p. m. Huey, for Congress; Carrell, for State Senator and Ball and Smith, for the Assembly are the independent candidates. Remember the date and go and ask for a Republican ticket; take it to the election booth and put a cross opposite the names above mentioned. They are men who owe no allegiance to any personal political machine, and if nominated and elected will vote for YOUR interests, and not as any machine shall dictate. You, Mr. Voter, can depend that the so called "regulars" will all be at the polls on primary election day and they are counting on the independent voter staying home.

Representative Eugene N. Foss, the newly-elected Democratic representative from Massachusetts, a former Republican and an extensive manufacturer, in attacking the tariff law in Congress last Saturday denounced the policy of protection as an unmitigated evil, flayed the Republican leaders, declared the recent revision of the tariff to be "a deliberate humbug game from start to finish," pronounced in favor of reciprocity and demanded an "extra session of a new Congress" at the earliest opportunity to revise the tariff.

"The people are indeed demanding protection," said Mr. Foss, "but the protection they are demanding is protection—from the Payne-Aldrich tariff."

The speaker announced himself as favoring the creation of a tariff commission, but he wanted the commission composed of non-partisan men whose report would be made direct to Congress, rather than to the President.

Going Round the Ring.

Isn't it queer how everything works around to the same end? For instance, take the recent demands of the railroad employees for more wages. They say they need the money to live on because it costs more to live. There being no disputing that point, it is up to the railroads to give their employees just as little as will satisfy them. So they get together and by and by it is announced that a certain percentage of increase has been granted, not so much as the men had asked for, but more than the railroad managers really felt they could afford to give.

Then after there have been congratulations all around it appears that the railroads find it necessary to increase their revenues in some way to make up for the recently granted wage increase, and so freight rates or passenger rates must be shoved up a notch. If it is the freight rate that goes up why the shipper passes the increase along to the buyer and the buyer finds it necessary to pass it along to someone else and finally it reaches the consumer. And so up goes the cost of living another notch or two to make up for the increase of wages granted to the railroad employees because they had to have more to meet the increased cost of living.

Down East they are talking about boosting the passenger rates. Of course it might be said that people need not travel, but in that case we would be forgetting the commuters who have to travel. And it is the commuters who are mostly threatened this time. They have got to make up that million or so which it is going to cost certain railroads to run the trains. So up goes the cost of living again in order that some other fellow get enough money to enable him to meet the increased cost of living. It's a queer mess anyway. It seems as though someone was always behind the game. Round and round you go, but never quite catching up. It reminds us that old round on why do we live? Why? To work hard to earn money to buy food to give us strength to work hard to earn money to buy food and so on world without end.

Tariffs and Cost of Living.

J. L. Laughlin in Scribner's.

Another cause of the higher cost of living—one which is especially operative in the United States and the continental countries of Europe—is the increasing rates of customs tariffs and of taxation due to militarism. It is impossible to attribute the generally higher prices due to the heavy load of taxation laid upon the consumer to a general cause like the cheapening of gold. In the United States the enormous sums spent by our national government on harbors and rivers, on pensions, on the army, and especially on the new navy must be paid for by somebody; and that somebody is the consumer of the taxed goods. On an average imported dutiable goods are increased in price to the American consumer by over 40 per cent. But, to the extent that importations are impeded, not all of this tax of over 40 per cent goes to the government, but much of it goes to protected interests. The duties are so high as not to be revenue duties and our treasury gets only about $300,000,000 of this tax, or less than half of its annual expenditure. The truth is just coming home to the people that our extremely high protective duties have raised the expenses of producing many goods, raised prices and raised the cost of living to every family throughout the length and breadth of the land. This is one reason why industrial activity today spells "hard times" for the unorganized consumer. Some of our public men are not dealing fairly with the people when they direct attention solely to the Payne-Aldrich act of 1909 and assert that it has in some respects lowered duties. Suppose that it had done so, as compared with the Dingley act, which were, on the whole, the highest in our list of high tariff enactments. It is no comfort to a drowning man in forty feet of water to be told that just back of him the water was 41 feet deep. It is no comfort to the consumer submerged by import duties of 40 or 100 or several hundred per cent. to be told that a microscope will discover a fractional change of a per cent here and there—when in fact hosiery, gloves and clothing bear increased duties.

Letter to Geo. A. Hussey.

Bristol, Pa.

Dear Sir: Two cans of paint look alike; two pants look alike, when opened; two jobs look alike, so long as they're new—unless one is scant.

They are far from alike: one is paint and the other is trash.

The gallon price is not far from alike. They don't cost alike. One takes ten gallons to paint a house; the other takes 20. The cost of one job is $50; the other $100—it may be $90—the job that cost least is the good one; wears twice as long as the other.

There are two ways of telling good paint by the name; by the number of gallons it takes for a job—least gallons, best paint. By the name Devoe; by least gallons.

Yours truly
58 F W DEVOE & CO

The youngster was lunching with his parents when he gave his arm a sudden jerk, and splash! down went his glass of milk. "I knew you would do that!" said his elder brother in a tone of contempt. "Well, if you knew," queried the youngster, "Why didn't you tell me!"

COMPARISON OF THE CANDIDATES

Independent Republicans to Oppose Machine Creations at Primaries on Saturday of Next Week.

On Saturday of next week, June 4, the Republicans of Bucks county, will be given the opportunity to express their individual choice of candidates for Congress, the State Senate and the Assembly.

The polls will be open from two to eight o'clock, p. m., and any person who voted for a majority of the candidates at the last preceding general election (last November) will be entitled to vote at the Republican primaries. The same rule applies to the Democratic party, the primary election of both parties being held simultaneously.

Upon the Republican primary ballot will appear rival candidates for all the offices except for delegates to the Republican State Convention.

One set of candidates represents the Grundy-Minster machine and the others are independent Republicans who in announcing their candidacies have declared themselves free from all machine influences and if nominated and elected promise to vote and work for the best interests of the people as a whole.

THE CANDIDATES.

The candidates whose names appear on the Republican primary ballots are as follows and will be printed on the sheets in the order name.

For Representative in Congress.
William G. Huey,
of Cynwyd.
Irving P. Wanger,
of Norristown.

For State Senator.
Clarence J. Buckman,
of Middletown.
Ezra P. Carrell,
of Jamison.

For General Assembly.
Joel S. Ball,
of Quakertown.
Isaac Clymer,
of Sellersville.
Franklin Gilkeson,
of Bristol.
Orin E. Smith,
of Wycombe.

WHAT THEY STAND FOR.

In his announced platform, Mr. Huey makes a straightforward declaration, in which he declares his eternal opposition to Cannonism and all that that term implies. He endorses the Roosevelt policies and government control of trusts dealing with the necessities of life and against a high tariff that protects special interests and increases the prices to the consumer.

Mr. Wanger has been a member of Congress for eighteen years and during the strenuous times of the extra tariff session of last year and the battle for freedom this year Mr. Wanger allied himself absolutely with the powers that prey and in the fights against Cannon and the rules stood invariably by the Speaker and the fake tariff revision.

SENATORIAL CANDIDATES.

Clarence J. Buckman, who served one term in the House of Representatives at Harrisburg is now a candidate for the Senate. No more servile flunky for the Philadelphia "gang" ever sat in the Legislature of Pennsylvania than the "gentleman from Bucks" who now asks the Republicans of this county to exalt him to a seat in the Senate. His record and that of his colleague, Isaac Clymer, are practically identical.

Their first official action at Harrisburg was to vote against John O. Sheatz, in the Republican caucus and in favor of Boies Penrose, and all down through the calendar of bills presented at the session of 1909 they voted for every vicious piece of legislation that presented itself. Nothing was too rank for this pair.

Opposed to Buckman at the Republican primaries appears the name of Ezra P. Carrell, of Jamison, a native of this county and a life-long Republican, as was his father and grandfather before him.

Mr. Carrell says that if nominated and elected he will stand by the Republican organization so long as it stands for the rights and interests of the people, but should he be called upon to decide between what he deems the interest of the organization and the interests of the people whom he would represent, he would not hesitate to vote for his constituency.

Mr. Carrell represents the highest type of citizenship in the county and his election to the Senate would be a credit to the county.

ASSEMBLY CANDIDATES.

Joel S. Ball, of Quakertown, and Orin E. Smith, of Wycombe, are the Independent Republican candidates for the Assembly. Mr. Ball and Mr. Smith are prominent business men in their respective communities. Each of these gentlemen are Republicans.

In a joint platform these candidates as well as Mr. Carrell make the following public declaration:

"We are in favor of the utmost economy in the administration of the finances of the State Government. The vast majority of our voters are either farmers or laborers. It matters not what may be the source of the State's income, the lion's share will eventually come from these classes and we too well know their strenuous labor and necessary economy, to sanction the squandering of its fruits.

"We are in favor of taking the Highway Department out of politics and running it on a business basis, giving the people one hundred cents worth for every dollar expended, good roads, plenty of them, built honestly. We stand for a "Square Deal," Clean Politics, Honest Government and the Rights and Interests of the People, First, Last and All the Time."

Messrs. Ball and Smith will be opposed at the primary election by the organization candidates, Isaac Clymer, of Sellersville, and Franklin Gilkeson, of Bristol.

Clear Evidence of Upward Revision.

American Wool Reporter.

About the clearest instance of tariff revision upwards of our recent tariff legislation is paragraph 340 or the old 339. In a half dozen cases where the courts had reversed the assessments of 60 per cent, holding that lower rates were applicable, the phraseology was so amended as to bring the items within the provisions at the higher rates. Featherstitch braids which were both braids and bindings were held dutiable as bindings of 45 per cent. Now all of featherstitch braids, bindings, and other braids are dutiable at 60 per cent by express enumeration.

Bandings which were assessed as trimmings at 60 per cent were held dutiable at 45 per cent as bandings. The latter term has also been added to 349. Plain letters on wearing apparel caused the assessment herein at 40 per cent. The courts promptly reversed such exaction ruling the lettering not to be embroidery. This has been remedied quite conclusively so as to discourage further litigation.

Machine scalloped towels, covers, etc, were taxed at 60 per cent as if the scalloping were a form of embroidery. The courts found embroidery to be "fancy needle work" and did not thunk this sewing was within the finding. But that is of no moment now. The law is changed.

See Leedom's Coal advertisement.

A straw shows which way the wind blows. It slinger's Straw Hats only.

See Leedom's Coal advertisement.

The Secret Out.

"What made my lovely complexion? I do not like to tell, for it was medicine, the nicest a woman ever took. It was Lane's Family Medicine that did it." This is a pleasant herb tea which acts favorably on the stomach and bowels, purifying the blood and cleansing the skin like magic. It cures headache and backache. Druggists and dealers sell it, 25c.

NEWS OF THE CHURCHES

PRESBYTERIAN.

Sunday services, 10.30 a. m. and 7.45 p. m.
Sunday school, 2.30 p. m.
Christian Endeavor, 7.00.
Wednesday evening, prayer meeting and teachers' training class.
A unique entertainment in old church: "The Bachelor's Congress" on Tuesday evening, May 31.
The June meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society will be held at the manse, Thursday, June 2nd, at half past three in the afternoon. All women cordially invited.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL.

Morning prayer and litany, 10.30.
Sunday school, 2.00 p. m.
Evening prayer and sermon, 7.30.
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Men's Association, Thursday, 8 p.m.
Choir practice, Friday, 8 p. m.

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TULLYTOWN M. E.

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EDDINGTON PRESBYTERIAN.

Sunday school with classes for all ages at 9.30 a. m. Preaching service at 10.45.
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METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

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NEWPORTVILLE CHRISTIAN LEAGUE.

Sunday school for all classes with practice of Children's Day music, 2.30 p. m. Everybody invited.
Prayer and praise service led by Rev. T. C. Welles, 3.30 p. m.
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Beverly's Poor Game.

Bristol was to have played Perkasie on Sunday but as the latter team cancelled the game, Beverly was substituted and it proved a dull and uninteresting contest, the Jersey team being outclassed by the local nine. Morley pitched a fine game for Bristol, allowing but two hits. The final score was 13 to 0. In the third inning all doubt of the result was settled when Bristol piled up seven runs, after that there was no strong effort made to score.

BRISTOL.	r	h	o	a	e
Kilmer, 3b	1	0	0	1	0
Mulligan, lf	1	3	2	0	0
Morey, cf	3	1	1	0	1
Ford, rf	2	1	0	0	0
Richardson, ss	2	1	0	0	0
Dunding, 1b	1	1	8	1	0
Frost, c	2	2	8	0	1
Craft, 2b	0	0	1	4	2
Morley, p	1	2	3	3	1
Totals,	13	12	27	9	6

BEVERLY.	r	h	o	a	e
Perkins, ss	0	0	0	0	1
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Rasner, 2b	0	0	3	2	1
Clark, 3b	0	0	1	1	0
Hayfield, lf	0	0	2	0	4
Bentliff, cf	0	1	2	0	0
Kettler, c	0	0	4	0	0
McCloskey, 1b	0	0	11	1	1
Hubbs, p	0	0	0	7	0
	0	2	24	12	8

Bristol	0 1 7 1 2 2 0 0 x—13
Beverly	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0— 0

Two-base hits—Morley, 2; Frost, 1. Struck out, by Morley, 5; Hubbs, 2. Bases on balls, off Hubbs, 3. Wild pitch—Morley, 1; Hubbs, 2. Umpire, Callahan. Time of game, 1 hour 30 minutes.

Crescents Still Winning.

Last Saturday the Crescents kept up their winning streak by defeating the strong St. Peter's Catholic Club, of Philadelphia, by the score of 6 to 4. The game was fast and interesting throughout and several good plays were pulled off. On account of rain in Philadelphia, the visitors made a late start and did not arrive on ground until 4.15. On this account the game was limited to seven innings. C. Sackville caught a nice game, while Owens fielding and Gillespie's batting were features.

Line-up:

CRESCENTS.	r	h	o	a	e
D. Dugan, ss	1	2	1	2	0
LeMaistre, 2b	0	0	2	1	1
Stanley, rf	0	0	0	0	0
Gallagher, 1b	1	1	2	0	1
D. Sackville, cf	1	1	0	0	0
E. Dugan, lf	1	1	3	1	0
Owens, 3b	1	1	4	1	0
C. Sackville, c	1	1	5	1	0
Pearson, p	0	0	1	3	0
McCuillion, 1b	0	0	3	0	1
Totals,	6	7	21	9	3

ST. PETERS.	r	h	o	a	e
Mears, 3b	0	0	1	1	0
Saylor, lf	1	0	1	0	0
Gillespie, 2b	1	4	2	0	1
Sluk, c	0	1	5	1	0
Givin, p	1	1	1	1	0
Gray, 1b	1	0	7	0	0
Owens, ss	0	1	0	4	1
Sewenke, cf	0	1	0	0	0
Bergerman, rf	0	0	1	0	0
McGrail, rf	0	0	0	0	0
Totals,	4	8	18	7	2

Crescents	2 0 0 3 1 0 x—6
St. Peters	1 0 0 2 1 0 0—4

Two-base hits—D. Dugan, Sink. Three-base hits, Gallagher, Givin. Struck out, by Pearson, 5; by Givin, 3. Base on balls, off Pearson, 5; off Givin, 3. Time of game, 1.33. Umpire, Dolan.

Base Ball Notes.

On Sunday the Bristol base ball team will play the Fairhill A. C., of of Philadelphia. This will undoubtedly be one of the best games of the season as the Fairhill team always puts up a good game and there is a strong rivalry.

On Saturday afternoon the Bristol Jrs. will play the Hartman & Magee club, of Philadelphia. The Hartman & Magee have not lost a game this season and are coming here with the intention of breaking the Bristol Jrs. winning streak. Rapp will be on the firing line for the Jrs.

A warning was given the Bristol team of the Bucks County League last Tuesday night that it must put up a better game or get out of the League. It is said by the managers that with Bristol its opponents all the teams lose money.

Saturday the Crescents will play the strong Elkhart F. C. on Corson street grounds, and on Decoration Day they will play the Y. M. A. Club of Philadelphia. Both these teams are fast and capable of putting up a good game. The rooters should not fail to be on hand. The games call promptly at 3.30 p. m. on Saturday and 10.30 a. m. on Monday.

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The grand officers were introduced and received in due form, after which the Division was turned over to the Grand W. P. A short report of the conditions and standing of the Division was requested from the Recording Scribe, which was highly commended by the G. W. P. placing Bristol far to the front as one of the best Divisions in the Order.

The following members made short but pointed remarks: G. W. P. Shuball Daniels, P. G. W. P. Samuel J. Peck, P. G. W. A. George J. Sheppard, G. W. A. Ernest Booth, D. G. W. P. James J. Scott, G. Cond. Annie B. Stackhouse, G. Sen. James Wilson, P. W. P. John Broadhurst, P. W. P. Charles E. Coombs, and P. W. P. James Guy.

A mock marriage concluded the programme in which the parson united Washington Goodenough and Bedellia Ingoglia in the solomen bonds of padlock. Matilda Yeagle acted as the bride, Howard Coombs as the groom. Nellie Updyke, as flower girl, carried a cushion on which was lying a large padlock and chain to securely bind this union.

The ushers were P. W. P.s Charles P. Yeagle and George Medden, while P. G. W. A. George J. Sheppard gave the bride away.

The entertainment was greatly enjoyed by all present after which the Division was closed and the members adjourned to the banquet hall where refreshments were served.

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Judge Covington has the reputation of being one of the most eloquent public speakers in the country today. His services have been engaged by the Anti-Saloon League, of Pennsylvania, for a season of two weeks, and Bristol is fortunate in having the opportunity to hear this gifted orator.

When Judge Covington addressed a convention in Richmond on January 20, the press dispatches of that date stated:

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The following is a press comment by the Atlanta Georgian:

"The House of Representatives was electrified Thursday by a speech of Mr. Covington, of Colquit, on the convict lease bill. He had been speaking only a short while before every member was in his seat, and senators were flocking in from the other side of the Home. State House officers, with their families, crowded to seats wherever they could be found.

It was the opening gun of the campaign being waged against the convict-lease system in Georgia, and the audience sat as under a spell while the orator with burning words and caustic sarcasm pilloried this shame of the State of Georgia."

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ELKS CELEBRATE 5TH ANNIVERSARY

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The members of Bristol Lodge, No. 970, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, had a jolly good time at their fifth anniversary banquet on Wednesday night at Pythian hall. It was the last time that the lodge will have to go outside their own home for such meetings as the handsome new stone and brick building being erected on Radcliffe street will hereafter be the scene of such occasions.

On Wednesday night an excellent menu was served by a Philadelphia caterer and a first-class vaudeville entertainment by professional actors and actresses of Philadelphia, was provided.

The eleven o'clock toast was observed in memory of "our absent brothers."

The following was the menu:

Clam Cocktail
Olives Celery
Snapper Soup
Shad Roe New Potatoes
Cream Sauce
Tenderloin of Beef Kimberly Sauce
Roman Punch
Roast Duck Apple Sauce
Tomatoes and Lettuce Salad
Ice Cream Cakes
Coffee

By the time the ice cream was reached the entertainment programme began which was as follows:

Piano solo, Joseph Diemund.
Adaline and Nellie Willard, singing and dancing soubrettes.
William H. Bradford, humorous songs and stories.
Miss May Dale, vocal solos.
Tom Siddons, the "College Boy Comedian," with four styles of dancing.
The Kneedlers, travesty sketch, "A Little Bit of Everything," interspersed with humorous talk, yodling, with harp accompaiment.
Miss Florence Moran, popular songs.
Valma, the magician.

Mystic Chain Celebration.

Bristol Castle, No 103, A. O. K. of M. C., held its 27th anniversary in the I. O. O. F. hall on Monday, May, 23.

Bristol Castle was organized on May 19, 1883, by a few of Bristol's well known citizens, assisted by Columbia Castle, No. 99, of Tacony. The members to whom the founding of Bristol Castle is credited to are: P. C., E. W. Minster; P. C., H. B. Banes; L. T. Rodan, W. T. Potts and William T. Bailey. The former two still retain their membership in the order and were assisted in organization by a few others who are still in the order, namely; P. C., H. S. Rue, Dr. J. T. Stradling, P. C., George J. Sheppard, J. P. Stout, L. J. Shull, E. J. Winder, L. J. Bevan.

The meeting on Monday was a grand success, the members from the lower end of Bucks county, including Ancient Castle, No. 135, of Morrisville, and Northern Star Castle, No. 121, of Newtown, and a few members from Columbia Castle, No. 202, of Pottstown.

Before the meeting closed there were several remarks made on the growth of the order in general throughout Bucks county by the following members. Past Commander George B. Heath, Horace Reeder, George B. Hibbs and Secretary Wood, of No. 121; Past Commanders William Carman, William Pope, E. J. Midwood, Fred Sybesma, J. Cockran and George Wharton, of No. 135, of Morrisville; Past Commanders George J. Sheppard, E. W. Minster, James Guy, H. S. Rue, Supreme Representative J. C. Adams, of No. 103, Bristol; and Past Commander Bartolette, Columbian Castle, No. 202, Pottstown, after which the meeting adjourned to assemble at the banquet table which was arranged in grand style by the committee in charge. Everybody present were glad they had come. There were about one hundred members present.

West Point Applicants Examined.

Eight young men who had made application to Congressman Wanger for appointment to West Point Military Academy were given physical and mental examinations at Lansdale last Saturday afternoon.

The physical examiners were Drs. Howard Pursell, of Bristol; Alfred E. Fretz, of Sellersville; James E. Groff, of Doylestown; John R. Umsted, S. Y. Eisenberg and H. H. Whitcomb, of Norristown.

The mental examiners were: County Superintendent J. H. Landis, Norristown; County Superintendent, J. H. Hoffman, Doylestown; Prof. D. Montfort Melchor, Perkiomen Seminary.

The applicants were: Karn J. O'D. Birnbrauer, Melrose Park; Paul D. Cressman, Lansdale; Howard A. Gilkeson, James C. Gold, Sellersville; Sidney Herkness, Wyncote; Stacy Knopt, Pottstown; Joseph Jarrett Knowles, Hatboro; Daniel J. O'Connor, Conshohocken.

On Saturday, May 21, 1910, at the residence of the bride, 1816 North 24th street, Philadelphia, were married by the Rev. S. W. Gehrett, D. D., William Schrotz and Mrs. Caroline Levis, both of Philadelphia.

Rev. W. T. Johnston will deliver the Memorial Day address at Langhorne in the Odd Fellows Hall on Monday afternoon at two o'clock.

See Leedom's Coal advertisement.

HUEY IN BRISTOL

Independent Republican Candidate for Congress Was Here on Monday. Against Cannon and Wants Wool Graft Schedule Revised.

William G. Huey, of Cynwyd, Montgomery county, anti-Cannon and anti-Penrose candidate for the Republican Congressional nomination, came to Bristol last Monday morning in his big touring car on a campaigning trip.

Mr. Huey called at the Gazette office and gave positive evidence that he is a "live wire" in the contest for the Congressional nomination. He is a rapid-fire talker and does not stammer nor hesitate in declaring the principles for which he stands.

He stated that the article reprinted in the last week's Gazette from the North American regarding Joseph R. Grundy's interview with him was correct. He said Grundy acted as though he was sole proprietor of the Congressional district and declared to Huey that it was a "contemptible trick" to enter the campaign against Wanger without first consulting the Bristol worsted manufacturer.

Mr. Huey said Grundy then sprung a side-splitting joke about its being "Bucks county's turn for the nomination," and it was "unfair for another Montgomery county man to try to usurp the place." Mr. Huey told Grundy if he would produce a Bucks county candidate and take Wanger out, he, Huey, would also get out of the contest and work for the Bucks county candidate, but that the people were tired of Wanger and wanted a change.

Mr. Huey says he is in the fight to the finish and believes he will win as there is general dissatisfaction all over the district and he is constantly receiving assurances of support even from unanticipated sources.

Mr. Huey says he has been a Republican all his life and was a member of the very first Republican club organized in Philadelphia at the outbreak of the Civil war.

"But I have never been a gangster," he said "and for years I have fought against the powers that prey. I was a member of Council in Philadelphia in 1905 and fought the gang that tried to give the gas works away. I addressed that immense mass meeting at the Academy of Music.

"I know the gang, and if the people of this district elect me to represent them in Congress, you may depend upon it I will represent their interests, not that of the Big Interests and the tariff beneficiaries."

Mr. Huey declared that during the eighteen years that Mr. Wanger has been in Congress he has never wavered in his support of the trusts and combinations that rob the people through the tariff schedules.

The editor asked Mr. Huey if he knew what he was up against in this fight, the powerful organization, the wealth of the leader, etc. He said he did and that he was well acquainted with Joe Grundy and his father before him, and knows the graft there is in it for him in the woolen schedule.

Mr. Huey said if he were elected he would favor an immediate revision of some of the tariff schedules. He declared that Congress as constituted at present legislates entirely for the benefit of the rich while the poor are being robbed by legislation which makes it harder and harder for a poor man to live.

After making a trip about town and calling upon a number of people Mr. Huey departed in his car for Langhorne.

SCHOOL DIRECTORS ANNUAL SESSION

Officers Elected and Legislation Discussed. President's Annual Address.

The annual convention of the School Directors Association of Bucks county convened at 10 o'clock on Monday morning in the Court House, at Doylestown, Dr. Howard A. Hellyer, President, and Charles T. Wilkinson, Secretary, in their respective chairs. About 150 directors were present at the opening session.

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

President Hellyer, in his annual address, referred to the start of the Association on May 22, 1889, with 67 members present. He also commented on the progress made in school work since that day and advised his fellow directors to pay close attention to school legislation. He said he was convinced that the man who is well up in the three R's and gets an average of 99 per cent in them, is much better off than the one who has neglected those old fashioned branches, an opinion which was received with applause. He welcomed the directors to the convention and felt sure it would be a very helpful meeting.

STATE CONVENTION REPORTS.

The Rev. J. H. Waidelich, of Sellersville, gave an account of the State Directors Convention in Harrisburg, held February 10 and 11, 1910. It was a most interesting paper, containing much of value to the convention, and presented in a useful form.

William H. Moon, of Morrisville, also reported his views of the convention. He considered it one of the best he had ever attended. All of Bucks county's representatives were present and three of them appointed on prominent committees. Mr. Moon covered the ground of several addresses not specially given by Rev. Mr. Waidelich.

Hugh B. Eastburn, Esq., said that he had no special report to make. He considered it one of the best he had ever attended and behind that it had been of great value to every county represented. Albert J. Thompson, of Wycombe, and Samuel W. Gross, also gave reports of the convention.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

There was quite a spirited contest at the annual election for president, the aspirants being Dr. A. E. Fretz, of Sellersville, and Lewis Wettling, of Newtown, the former winning by a vote of 96 to 41. The other officers were elected without opposition, as follows: Vice presidents, William Balderston and Doron Green; secretary, Charles Wilkinson, of Rushland; treasurer, Hugh B. Eastburn, Esq., of Doylestown.

The morning session closed with discussions of the health question by Dr. William LeCompte, of Bristol, and Dr. Alfred E. Fretz, of Sellersville, and proposed legislation by Captain William Wynkoop, of Newtown, and Mr. Eastburn, of Doylestown.

In the afternoon Superintendent Eli M. Rapp, of Berks county, delivered an address on "How Directors May Increase the Efficiency of the Schools."

Observed Third Anniversary.

The following concerning a former Bristolian is clipped from a Plainfield, N. J., newspaper:

Ralph L. Morrow was the direct cause of a commotion in Woodland avenue, in the vicinity of his home, Saturday night, wherein the honking of auto horns disturbed the quiet of the neighborhood. The affair was the result of an incident which took place three years ago, at which time Mr. Morrow left the state of bachelorhood and became a benedict.

Mrs. Morrow and several friends had planned a celebration of the third anniversary of the marriage, and it was a complete surprise to the head of the family when twenty guests descended upon his home, arriving in a string of autos and carrying whist tables and chairs. Games were soon under way, and there were some keen competitions during the next few hours.

The guests also brought substantial tokens in remembrance of the occasion, and the jolly party came to a close with the serving of refreshments.

The cool kind. The light weight kind Straw Hats are the Singer kind.

BUCKS HISTORICAL SOCIETY MET HERE

Most of the Papers Read Related to the History of this Ancient Borough.

The annual spring meeting of the Bucks County Historical Society was held in the old Friends meeting house, Bristol, on Tuesday.

The day was bright and warm and fully two hundred members of the organization were present and listened to a very interesting programme, which began in the morning and was continued in the afternoon. The members brought box lunches with them and coffee was served upon the premises.

During the intermission between 12.30 and 2 o'clock the visitors scattered about the town and viewed various points of historic interest. The old Keene mansion on Radcliffe street was an objective point, and also the G. A. R. post room over the Gazette office where the Lafayette arch reposes.

The meeting was called to order at 1 o'clock by B. F. Fackenthal, Jr., of Riegelsville, one of the vice presidents.

The following applicants were elected to membership: William V. Leech, Doron Green, Dr. W. C. LeCompte, Harvey S. Rue, Mrs. R. H. Morris, Miss Emma Burton, C. Wesley Milnor, Frank Gilkeson and William H. Murphy, of Bristol; Mrs. Ellwood Tyson, Chester; Mrs. Louisa C. Woodman, Wycombe; Miss Loretta M. White, Doylestown.

The secretary reported that there were 705 members on the roll and that there was the sums of $208.36 in the general fund, $42.52 in the library fund and $375.79 in the publication fund.

HISTORICAL PAPERS.

Among the papers read during the day was one by John C. Maule, giving a very interesting narrative of the old meeting house in which the society met. Mr. Maule's paper is printed in full in another column.

The Gazette will from time to time publish some of the other papers which were read especially those of local interest.

The first paper read was that of J. A. Anderson, of Lambertville, N. J., on "Two New Hope Relics," which was read by Warren S. Ely.

Joseph W. Swain, of Philadelphia, formerly of Bristol, gave highly interesting "Reminiscences of Bristol," dealing principally in the period between 1850 and 1860 during his residence here. Although Mr. Swain only had notes, he has promised to put the matter in shape for publication and we hope to have the pleasure of printing it in the near future.

Joseph R. Grundy read a paper on the "Manufactories of Bristol," giving a resume of the industrial establishments from the time of the old grist mill on Mill street in 1701 to the new pipe foundry which is not yet entirely completed.

He gave also a dissertation on the beneficence of the tariff policy of the government.

HISTORY OF ST. JAMES CHURCH

G. M. Dorrance, Esq., gave a history of old St. James Episcopal Church, of Bristol. Mr. Dorrance read from the old minute books the transactions of the vestries. The first church, since demolished, was built by a few well-disposed persons and on the 25th of July, 1712, was dedicated. Anthony Burton conveyed to the Rev. Weyman part of the site and subsequent purchases included the entire present property. Although the building was erected in 1712 the deed was dated 1733. As early as 1811 the question of incorporation was raised, but the church was not incorporated until 1825. A new church building was advocated in 1831, but the present edifice was not erected until 1858. Having completed his history of the church, Mr. Dorrance turned to personal reminiscences and told of two famous personages who at one time resided here. They were Roland Stephenson and Thomas A. Cooper.

Stephenson was a London banker, a director of St. Bartolomew's Hospital and an intimate friend of George IV. when he was regent. He became bankrupt and had to flee from England. He landed at Norfolk in this country and was later arrested by an English officer and was to be shipped back to London when he obtained his release at New York on a writ of habeas corpus. He settled near here on the banks of the Neshaminy. Reports of his great wealth and lavish living having been spread abroad he left his residence and came to Bristol where he resided until his death.

Thomas A. Cooper was the son of a surgeon and a ward of William Godwin. He ran away from his home fired with histrionic ambition. He appeared on the boards in Philadelphia in 1798 and later became a great American star. His daughter married Robert Tyler, of Bristol, a son of President John Tyler. She went to the White House and was the only woman well spoken of by Dickens in his "American Notes."

HISTORY OF BRISTOL.

C. Wesley Milnor was the last to read. His paper was "A History of Bristol." Mr. Milnor gave a very instructive recital of the settling and growth of the town and in the course of his paper particularized on some of the less important, but still interesting features. He dwelt on the shipping, the establishment here of the county seat, of the fame of the Bath Springs, and of the capture of the borough during the Revolution. The erection of some of the better known buildings, the institution of private schools and much other valuable information was given in the paper, which with others briefly outlined here will be published at length in these columns later.

Miss Mary Paxson Rogers was to read a paper written by the late Chief Justice Edward M. Paxson, but the hour was late and Miss Rogers agreed to defer the reading until another meeting.

G. A. R. Post to Attend Church.

The members of H. Clay Beatty Post, G. A. R., will attend divine service at the Bristol Baptist Church on Sunday evening at eight o'clock. The pastor, Rev. W. T. Johnston, will preach a patriotic sermon.

Memorial Service at Newportville.

There will be a memorial service in the Newportville Union Chapel on Sunday evening, May 29. Rev. W. H. Van Horn, past department chaplain of Delaware, member of Naval Post 40 and the Farragut Association, will preach the sermon. All are cordially invited to be present.

Making Ice at New Plant.

Commencing today ice will be manufactured at the new $70,000 plant of the Artesian Ice Company, of Bristol. The daily capacity of the plant is fifty tons of ice made in 300-pound cakes. Machinery is also installed for the pasteurizing of milk, the manufacture of ice cream and snow flake. The company also has a large cold storage plant. Milk delivery wagons, which are now being finished in Trenton, will be put on the street, for the retail sale of pasteurized milk.

Killed at Trevose.

Patrick Delaney, of Trevose, was killed on Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock by being struck by what is known as the "loop train" on the Reading Railroad near Trevose. Delaney, who is a section foreman, was at work, and although the engineer, who saw the man between the rails bending over his task, gave shrill blasts of the whistle, Delaney paid no attention and was struck by the locomotive and instantly killed. Deputy Coroner Rue, of Bristol, was notified and after investigating the circumstances decided that an inquest was not necessary. The deceased, who was 42 years old, is survived by a widow and two children.

When you think of Straw Hats just connect Singer's name.

See Leedom's Coal advertisement.

FIFTH ANNUAL CONVENTION

Bucks County Sabbath School Association Will Meet in Bristol Baptist Church Tomorrow.

The fifth annual convention of the fifth district Bucks County Sabbath School Association will be held tomorrow afternoon and evening in the First Baptist Church of Bristol.

Following the afternoon session the executive committee, including district officers and Sunday school superintendents, will meet at the Baptist parsonage at 6 p. m.

Supper will be served immediately after the afternoon session. Tickets, 20 cents.

The principal address in the afternoon will be delivered by Rev. C. H. Woolston, D. D., of Philadelphia. The address in the evening will be delivered by Rev. L. W. Hainer, of Norristown.

The programme for the two sessions is as follows:

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2.15—Song service.
2.30—Devotional exercises, led by Rev. S. W. Gehrett, D. D., of Bristol.
2.45—Singing.
2.50—Reports of district secretary, primary superintendent and treasurer.
3.05—"What They Did at the World's Convention," Rev. O. J. Randall, of Tullytown.
3.20—Singing.
3.25—Address, "The Child and the Kingdom," Rev. C. H. Woolston, D. D., of Philadelphia.
4.05—Singing (offering.)
4.10—Symposium on Sunday school work, led by Rev. W. T. Johnston, of Bristol. (Every Sunday school in the district is requested to send a representative who will give a one-minute talk on his own school.)
4.30—Children's rally. (During the singing of a hymn the audience will make room in the front centre of the church for the children who will march in).
Object talk to the children, "That Ship of Mine and Its Wonderful Sails," by Dr. Woolston.
5.15—Adjournment.

EVENING SESSION.

7.30—Service of praise.
7.50—Prayer, Rev. C. E. Burns, D. D., of Bristol.
7.55—Report of Executive committee.
8.00—Anthem (offering).
8.05—Singing.
8.10—Address, "The Crowned Worker," Rev. L. W. Hainer, of Norristown, Pa.
8.55—Singing and benediction.

All the Sunday schools located in the townships of Falls, Bristol and Bensalem, and those within the boroughs situated in this territory, are included in the membership of the fifth district association, and each school is expected to send as many representatives as possible.

The Sunday school scholars are requested to meet at their respective Sunday schools at four o'clock and from there proceed to the Baptist Church.

WATER COMPANY ANNUAL MEETING

Borough Should Make Offer to Each Shareholder if It Wants to Buy Plant.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Bristol Water Company was held last night at the office of the works.

All of the old officers were re elected.

Subsequent to the election a meeting of the board of directors was held when a communication from Joseph R. Grundy, chairman of the Street committee of council, was read requesting a price for the sale of the works to the borough. The secretary was instructed to make reply that it was believed that neither the directors nor shareholders of the company had any legal right to offer for sale the shares held by any other person and that if the borough desired the acquisition of the plant it should make an offer of purchase to each shareholder.

The above is reported to have been the substance of the position assumed by the directors of the water company.

Republicans, Listen!

Editor Gazette:—Do you favor government by the people, or by the moneyed interests? If the former go to the primaries on June 4th and vote for Huey.

Do you stand for Aldrich, Cannon, Ballinger, etc.; for legislation in the interests of land-grabbers; in the interest of trusts which rob the common people almost into starvation while they (the interested ones) roll in their ill-gotten wealth? If you stand for this, vote for I. P. Wanger. If not, vote for Huey.

Mr. Milkman, Mr. Farmer, Mr. Business Man, coal, ice cream, bank, newspaper men and men in every line of business who have been voting for protection all these years at the behest of "Joe and Pete," and now yourselves, your wives, your children, facing ruin and starvation because the lords whom you have served have put "unlimited capital" into a concern to knock you out of business, remember that Penrose and Wanger stand for them. Huey stands for you. Whic will you have?

Workingmen, how are you living; working short hours? Can't get ends to meet? Paying famine prices, and voting unlimited wealth into the pockets of others? If you wish these conditions to continue, vote for I. P. Wanger. If not, vote for Huey.

For eighteen years you have been represented in Congress by one who represents just one man and no more. Election expenses, booze, heeler hire, bands of music, banquets, all out of one pocketbook. Not an act has ever been done, (official I mean) without the O. K. of the man with the dollars.

Are you in favor of this one-man power proposition or are you going to assert your manhood, your Americanism, your Republicanism, your insistence of a form of government as intended by the founders of our country?

Then chase the thieves and robbers who have stolen the control of our party out of power, and put in representatives of the people. Vote Wanger out. Vote Huey in.

EXCELSIOR.

Meanness to a Blind Man.

A man with dark glasses over his eyes touched the conductor on the shoulder as the car neared Euclid avenue and East Fifty-fifth street.

"Pardon me," the man said, "but if you're the conductor I want to ask a favor. I'm blind, and I want you to lead me over to the curb when the car stops, if you'll be so good."

"Not that I minded the little bother of doin' that for him," remarked the conductor when he got back on his car, "but 'tain't right to let a blind man go around all alone like that at night trying to find his way around in the dark."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

His Idea of Economy.

"It's all very well for you to preach economy," said his wife, "but I notice whenever I cut down expenses that you smoke better cigars and spend more money for your own pleasure than at any other time."

"Well, confound it, what do you suppose I want you to economize for, anyway?"—Chicago Record-Herald.

Up and Down.

Mistress—Here's the man for that clock to be repaired. Get it for him. Nora—And, shure, where is it? Mistress—Upstairs, of course. Nora—Faith, an' I thought it had run down! —New York Press.

See Leedom's Coal advertisement.

OLD FRIENDS' MEETING HOUSE IN BRISTOL

Historical Paper Read by John C. Maule at Historical Society Meeting on Tuesday.

John C. Maule, of Bristol, read the following paper, a historical sketch of the old Friends' meeting house, at the meeting of the Bucks County Historical Society which was held in the ancient building at Bristol on Tuesday:

THE OLD FRIENDS' MEETING HOUSE.

While these short and simple annals of the old meeting house in Bristol, the oldest, with one exception, now standing in this part of the country, may to the 20th century era of hurry and bustle appear but of little worth, it is yet well in this day to "Gather up the fragments that remain that nothing be lost," and these somewhat fragmentary notes may shed some light upon the persevering zeal of our forefathers, to which this venerable building is a monument.

Nearly all the first settlers of Buckingham, now Bristol, as well as of other parts of the "Lower End" of our county, were members of the Society of Friends, and the writer acknowledges his obligation for much of the data in this paper to the late Edwin J. Burton, a lineal descendent of Anthony Burton, one of these pioneers, who was greatly interested in the early records and history of the Friends' meetings in these parts.

Meetings for worship were established about "The Falls of the Delaware," some time before the country had received the name of Pennsylvania, the members belonging to a Monthly Meeting held at Burlington, dating from 1674. In 1683 a Monthly Meeting was established at the house of William Biles, in what is now known as "The Manor," of which Friends living at Bristol and at Neshaminy, now Middletown, became members. "The Governor" and his wife, while in Pennsylvania, were members of this Monthly Meeting, and Phineas Pemberton, whose name, as clerk of the first Orphans' Court, frequently appears upon our early county records, was its Recorder of Births and Deaths. The first Bucks Quarterly Meeting, composed of the original Falls Monthly Meeting and a new one set off therefrom called Neshaminy, was held at the house of William Biles on the 7th of Third Month, 1684.

For nearly twenty years Friends at Bristol were not allowed any regular meeting of their own, and growing weary of being thus deprived of religious privileges they petitioned Falls Monthly Meeting in 1704 that they might be allowed to hold a meeting sometimes among themselves, but as far as the writer can learn they were not granted this favor until 1707, when permission was given them to hold a meeting of worship bi-weekly, on First-days, and once a week on week days.

In 1706 Samuel Carpenter, a wealthy Friend, offered to give Falls Monthly Meeting "a piece of ground for a meeting house and burying-place, and pasture at Bristol," and the gift having been accepted by the Meeting, the same was ordered to be deeded to Joseph Kirkbride and others for the uses aforesaid. There now began a most striking example of that procrastination which is said to be the thief of time. The trustees appointed by the Monthly Meeting seem to have been most unaccountably derelict in their duties for we find in 1710 a Minute of the Monthly Meeting stating that "Bristol Friends renewed an application, first made in 1706, for the building of a meeting-house. Agreed with and forwarded to Quarterly Meeting for their concurrence and assistance." In the following month comes a Minute stating that as several of the trustees appointed to hold the title to the lot given by Samuel Carpenter were either deceased or gone from the Province, William Croasdale and others should be appointed in their places. The following quaint Minute of the Quarterly Meeting gives evidence that the request of Bristol Friends for a meeting-house was soon granted. It is as follows: "At a Quarterly Meeting held at Middletown, ye 22nd of ye 12th Month, 1710. This Meeting having under consideration the building of a meeting-house at Bristol, it's concluded there be a good, substantial house built, either of brick or stone, and the Friends appointed to take the dimensions, and for the convenientest place is Joseph Kirkrbide, Joshua Koupes, John Satcher, Thatcher, Thomas Stevenson and Adam Harker, together with such Bristol Friends as they think fit, who are likewise to compute the charge as near as may be, and to appoint whom they may think fit to manage the work, and give an account of their proceeding to the next meeting." Three months later, "The Friends appointed to take care about the meeting-house at Bristol report they have made some progress therein, having obtained a grant of a lot of land from Samuel Carpenter to set the meeting-house on, likewise has agreed for the dimensions, first ye carpenter work has computed the charge of ye whole, and thinks it will be about 200 pounds." The Meeting appointed Joseph Kirkbride and others "to undertake the first, and the rest of ye work belonging to it, and take care to see it well and carefully done, and with what expedition may be." The Meeting also urged Friends to make collections in their respective meetings for the new building, and appointed trustees to hold the title for the Quarterly Meeting to the ground given for the meeting place and burial ground, this being a rare instance of title to property held by other Monthly Meetings.

After seven years of delay the meeting-house project was in fair way to be accomplished, and in Twelfth Month 1713, the Quarterly Meeting was informed that "the committee to settle Bristol-meeting house report they have completed the same," from which it would appear that this ancient landmark lacks but two years of being a bi-centennarian. The bricks used in its construction were brought from England, and this doubtless added to the delay in its completion. It would appear that "jerry-building" is not of recent date, for in 1728, only fifteen years after the house was finished, it had to be partially taken down and re-built, being in danger of falling. In 1735 or 1736 an addition was built, greatly enlarging its capacity, and in 1756 it was finished in the upper story. Previously to 1839-40 the entrance was in the Market street end of the house, and galleries being at the east end facing the entrance, and the aisle running lengthwise of the building, probably passing through a doorway into the addition in the rear. During the Revolutionary war the house was occupied as a hospital, as appears from the following Minute, 9th Mo. 15, 1778: "Joseph Church, William Bidgood, John Hutchinson and Phinehas Buckley are appointed to get the meeting-house cleared of the troops in the little end of the house so that it may be fit to meet in." A number of patients in this hospital are believed to have been buried in the lot now occupied by Mohican Hall, on Otter street. In 1820 a school was kept in the upper story of the house, taught by Dr. Henry Lippincott, afterward many years in practice at Fallsington, Mary Prosser, Letitia Swain and Hannah Coleman.

This little account of the old meeting-house would be incomplete without some mention of the generous donor of the ground upon which it was built. Samuel Carpenter was a native of Surrey, England, and came to Pennsylvania from Barbadoes. He was an intimate friend and associate of William Penn, and a partner with him and Caleb Pusey, in the establishment of the first mill in the Province of Upland near Chester. At the end of the 17th century Samuel Carpenter was a wealthy shipping merchant in Philadelphia and reputed to be the richest man in the Province. He owned nearly two thousand acres of land contiguous to and including much of the present site of Bristol, also two islands in the Delaware, and is believed to have been the founder of the Bristol saw and grist mills. In or about 1710 or 1712, he removed his residence to Bristol, having a summer home on Burlington Island, the dwelling being still standing in 1828. He was largely interested in public affairs, being a member of the Council and Assembly, and Treasurer of the Province, and was highly respected by all who knew him. It is somewhat singular that in Bristol, where he had such large interests, there is nothing to keep alive his memory save this meeting-house.

And while we cannot here show any long-drawn aisle or fretted vault, and while no pealing anthem has ever, within this ancient house, swelled the note of praise, yet, could these walls become vocal, they could tell of many soul-stirring messages of exhortation, of earnest entreaty and encouragement to well-doing, and they could bear witness also to many silent meetings where, as Charles Lamb wrote, the dove sat visibly brooding upon the worshippers.

The saintly Woolman doubtless often met here with his fellow-believers, coming from his humble Mount Holly home, clad in those garments worn the natural color of wool, as a testimony against superfluities. Here also came Thomas Chalkley, riding up from "Chalkley Hall" at Frankford—he of whom Whittier wrote:—

"Gentlest of skippers, rare sea-saint!
Who, when the dreary calms prevailed,
And water-butt and bread-cask failed,
And cruel, hungry eyes pursued
His portly presence, mad for food,
With dark hints uttered under breath,
Of casting lots for life or death,
Offered, if Heaven withheld supplies,
To be himself the sacrifice.
Then suddenly, as if to save
The good man from his living grave,
A ripple on the water grew,
A school of porpoise flashed in view.
'Take, eat,' he said, 'and be content,'
These fishes in my stead are sent
By Him who gave the tangled ram
To save the child of Abraham.'"

It seems as though this account could have no more fitting ending that the following quotation from Charles Lamb's essay upon "A Quaker Meeting."

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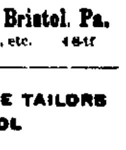

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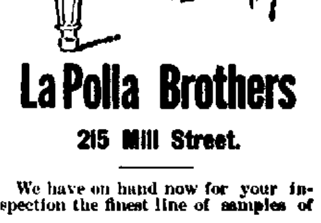

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JOHN DUGGAN'S SECOND WIFE.

A Man's Quest For His Ideal and Its Realization.

By MARGARET COY KENDALL.

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"It's the grand little home I'll be bringin' her to," John Duggan mused proudly as he surveyed the four tiny rooms he had furnished anew to honor the homecoming of the second Mrs. Duggan. He wandered from room to room, chuckling in delight over the shining freshness of it all. The little sitting room held him spellbound. Its gorgeous flowered walls, its bright hued carpet, the new nickel trimmed heater and all the other new and unfamiliar things down to the white globed kerosene lamp seemed to him the height and depth of the home comfort he had so long dreamed of.

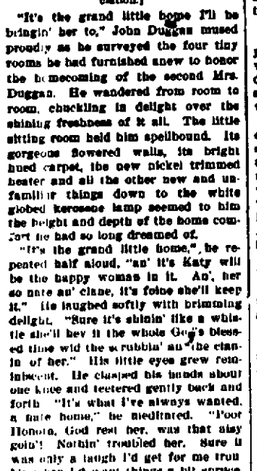
"It's the grand little home," he repeated half aloud, "an' it's Katy will be the happy woman in it. An', her so nate an' clane, it's foine she'll keep it." He laughed softly with brimming delight. "Sure it's shinin' like a whistle she'll bey it the whole Gog's blessed time wid the scrubbin' an' the clanin of her." His little eyes grew reminiscent. He chafed his hands about one knee and teetered gently back and forth. "It's what I've always wanted, a nate home," he meditated. "Poor Honora, God rest her, was that nisy goin'! Nothin' troubled her. Sure it was only a laugh I'd get for me trubble when I'd want things a bit spruce But it's no matter now. Perhaps the poor girl was not strong for all the hearty look of her," he added in sudden remorse, remembering Honora's recent demise.

There were impatient days of waiting, and then came the happy day that John Duggan brought home his second bride. Katy walked silently through the rooms that John so proudly displayed. He watched her face eagerly, waiting to see the delight come into it. But Katy's staid Celtic countenance reflected nothing but the interest of a prudent housewife.

"That couch will have to be moved from the window—the sun will fade it dreadful there. And you'll have to put some tin behind the stove. It's terrible the way the heat fades these cheap wall papers," she criticised.

Duggan's face fell. He looked blankly from the couch to the stove, wondering dimly how it was he had not noticed those things before.

"It takes a woman to see things right," he said aloud. "You'll hev everything jist as you want it, Katy. Jist say what you want." And Duggan's eyes began to wander over the



"NOW DON'T BE LYING THERE ON THAT NEW COUCH"

room again, looking for flaws he had not before detected in his perfect picture.

Before a week had passed the rooms wore a new aspect. Katy had moved and shifted things about and arranged them with a precision that indicated well the dominating trait of the woman's character. Neatness shone in every corner, and cleanliness seemed to be in the very air. It was all the very realization of John's dream when, suffering the discomforts of Honora's slack housekeeping, he had indulged his fancy with a picture of things under a more strenuous system. John was long in acknowledging, and then only secretly, that the reality did not somehow possess all the delights that anticipation had promised. Strangely enough, Honora's easy going ways gradually assumed in the perspective all the comfort giving properties that the more thoroughgoing Katy seemed strangely to lack.

"Now, don't be lying there on that new couch in your dirty working clothes," Katy had said sharply the first evening John had stretched himself wearily out for his initial taste of the bliss he had pictured.

John had risen slowly and seated himself before the stove. Katy eyed him covertly for some time as he tilted back and forth, his foot resting on the nickel footpiece. She opened her lips several times to speak, but hesitated, an annoyed frown growing between her brows.

"You'll be knocking that stove over, putting the whole weight of you on it like that," she said icily.

For a moment a look almost of anger came into Duggan's downcast eyes. In that moment his illusions all but failed. But suddenly he looked up, a resolute smile wrinkling his face.

"Sure it's me own stove," he said, with a playful attempt at joviality. "I kin knock it over if I want to."

Katy looked at him stonily for a moment, then resumed her sewing, her lips set in ominous lines.

Again John's illusions trembled, and he sat dumb, looking vacantly about the room. After all, it was not a perfect room. Something essential was missing. His mind groped stupidly for what it might be. Then, like an inspiration, it came to him.

"A bit of music would be cheerful-lokie in the house," he said, looking pleadingly at Katy. "How would you loike one of those nice phonographs they have at MacGrath's? I was thinkin'—" The look of horror in Katy's eyes cut him short.

"A phonograph!" Her voice rasped sharp with repulsion. "I hate the squeaking, snorting things. Don't bring one here."

"To be sure, to be sure," John soothed, "they are the onnatural things, an' that noisy too. You're right about it, Katy, jewel. I was just thinkin'—" His voice trailed into wondering silence again.

The next night there was no fire in the sitting room stove when Duggan came home. Katy was at work in the kitchen. Everything in the little room shone as if from recent scouring. Katy herself in a stiffly ironed print gown and spotless white apron moved about in noiseless efficiency. Duggan settled himself gingerly upon the edge of a chair and tried to feel the delight he professed in watching the clocklike working out of the domestic system he had so long desired. When he had prodded his fancy to a state of approbation he rose, contented, and, picking up an armful of wood, started for the sitting room. Katy stopped him.

"We'll have no more fires in there," she said firmly. "It makes too much mess. I spend my whole time cleaning up after you. You can sit out here."

Duggan's wrath blazed slowly. With heavy deliberation he put down the wood and stood facing Katy.

"An' has it come to this," he said, scowling savagely, "that I be denied the privilege of me own fireside?"

Katy faced him, her eyes flintlike.

"I can't be forever cleaning after you," she cried, her voice shrilling with excitement. "You make more dirt—I never saw the like. It's a servant you need to be after you the whole blessed time."

A quick flame flashed in Duggan's eyes, and his clinched fist smashed down upon the table with a dish rattling force. "You'll clean for me no more, d'ye understand?" he cried, with sudden decision in his voice. "You kin nev the house to yourself. Now, kape it as clane as you plaze." And, slamming his hat over his eyes, he went out the door.

Katy looked after him, a startled white creeping over her face.

"He'll be back as soon as his tantrum is over," she said, yet her hands shook as she went on with her work.

She set his place for supper and waited, but he did not come. When she had finished her own meal she set everything away, then drew a straight backed chair before the kitchen stove and sat there. At bedtime she rose and with the same precision that marked her every movement made her usual preparations for the night. Over the locking of the door she hesitated but a breath. Then with a click of the key it was done, and Duggan was barred for the night.

Days lengthened into weeks, and John's hand never once sought the door latch. Katy began to hear vague rumors of wild extravagances that filled her frugal soul with anguish. When in time these rumors became more specific and visions of her own portionless lot rose before her she felt that something must be done.

Duggan was standing before a concert hall about to enter with two of his cronies when Katy found him. When she laid a hand on his sleeve he turned, and, seeing her, his jaw dropped and the laugh on his lips died.

"Come, John," she said, firmly. "I have a word to say to you."

He held back a moment, eying her distrustfully, then walked a few steps with her and stopped again.

"Aren't you coming?" Katy demanded, making as if to go on.

John looked over his worn clothes with a deprecatory smile.

"Do you think me clane enough?" he queried with suddenly assumed anxiety.

Katy looked at him sharply, but his eyes were fixed solicitously upon the tips of his shabby boots.

"I've had enough of this tomfoolery"—she lowered her voice to a tense whisper—"you spending your money like a common rowdy and living away from your awful home. Come home with me this minute. Do you hear?"

John squared back and looked at her a full minute before answering.

"Go home," he repeated, shaking his head slowly. "I'm sorry to disappoint you, Katy, jewel, but I'm that comfortable at Mrs Gerry's. She's not as clane as some perhaps, but I like the comfort of her slay goin' ways."

An angry red crept to Katy's cheeks, and the determined line of her lips set closer. She drew near to John and laid a hand in a detaining grip on his arm.

"If I was too fussy, John, I'm sorry. I'll be different now," she said, softening her voice with a note of regret.

John deliberated long, his eyes fixed vacantly on a point down the street where his two companions stood waiting. An impatient nod from one of them brought him suddenly to himself, and before Katy could interpose he had turned and was on his way to rejoin them.

"I'll let you know in the mornin'," he called back as he went.

The next morning a messenger brought to Katy's door a clumsily sealed envelope. On opening it Katy was confronted with a document which, for all its labored briefness, took long studying on her part to even faintly comprehend. It read:

To Kate Duggan, to be accepted or not, as it please her:

First.—Whereas Cleanliness is next to Godliness, yet Comfort is next the Heart.

Second.—A man's home is his Castle and not a Dungeon Tower.

Third.—Man does not live by Bread alone, for an unruly Tongue is sharper than the tooth of a Serpent.

Fourth.—A good woman warmeth the hearthstone, but a Ranter wearies the ears.

Fifth.—A woman's tongue is a plague before which Reason faileth as the Dew

"COME, JOHN," SHE SAID FIRMLY

Sixth.—Woman was created subject to Man, so obey in all things Whatsoever.

Seventh.—It is of the Covenant that only he who is Master can come unto his Own. Am I to be Master in all things Whatsoever?

Eighth.—If ready to accept the above in every particular and without murmuring, signify so in writing.

My Ultimatum. Yours Truly,
JOHN DUGGAN.

After long pondering and with but faint glimmerings of the sense of her unusual communication, Katy began laboriously to compose her answer. She found it hard. At last in despair she copied with painstaking exactitude from the ultimatum:

To John Duggan
I am ready to accept in every particular and without murmuring. Yours truly,
KATE DUGGAN.

That night John came home. After supper he walked into the little sitting room, soft in the light of the white globed lamp, and again feasted his eyes on its homey coziness. He sat for a long time, tilting back in his chair, his feet braced against the nickel footrod of the stove. Katy watched him with heightened color. When at length he threw himself on to the couch, his dusty boots squarely upon it, she started nervously in her chair. John looked at her inquiringly. She made a pretense of reaching for a book from the table and said nothing.

There was a long, contemplative silence between the two. When at length John spoke there was a dictatorial note in his voice, new to Katy.

"There's just one article needful—I think I mentioned it before—to the completeness of the room," he said, sitting up and nodding emphatically.

"What might it be?" Katy asked, with a languid show of interest.

"A phonograph," John announced, then waited an impressive moment. "No home is complete without music, an' a phonograph is as good as a brass band in the house. It's lively an cheerful loike."

Every instinct of her quiet loving nature revolted on the instant, and before she knew it Katy was out of her chair and standing over the couch threateningly.

"A phonograph," she cried, catching her breath sobbingly. "I won't have one of the grinding, shrieking things. They drive me wild."

Duggan sat up, astonishment written large on his broad features. At the look on his face Katy felt all her opposition fade into trembling rout.

"Sit down, woman," John commanded, waving her authoritatively to her chair. "A phonograph I said. Did you not understand rightly?"

Katy stood rigid, taking her last stand against the defeat she found hard to meet.

John's eyes fixed in a disconcerting stare upon her agitated face, and he sat for a full moment staring at her in silence. Then his hand began to fumble in his coat pocket and he drew forth a carefully folded sheet of paper.

"Did you sign that or did you not?" he cried, waving it triumphantly before her face.

It was the sheet on which she had signed away her independence, and Katy's eyes fell before it. The color receded slowly from her cheeks, and she sank limply into her chair.

John continued waving the ultimatum before her like a flag of victory. "The screechin', grindin' things indade! Well, I loike 'em. An' I'm thinkin' a man can hev what he loikes in his own house—when he's master," he added, tapping the paper he held significantly.

Katy said nothing, but sat dully watching as Duggan carefully folded the disciplinary document and again stowed it in a convenient pocket.

A BYRON STATUE.

Made For Westminster Abbey, but Dean Lincoln Refused It.

Many years ago some admirers of Lord Byron raised a subscription for a monument to the poet to be placed in Westminster abbey. Chantrey was requested to execute it, but on account of the smallness of the sum subscribed he declined, and Thorwaldsen was then applied to and cheerfully undertook the work.

In about 1833 the finished statue arrived at the customs house in London, but to the astonishment of the subscribers the dean of Westminster, Dr. Ireland, declined to give permission to have it set up in the abbey, and owing to this difficulty, which proved insurmountable, for Dr. Ireland's successor was of the same opinion, it remained for upward of twelve years in the customs house, when (1840) it was removed to the library of Trinity college, Cambridge.

The poet is represented in the statue of the size of life, seated on a ruin, with his left foot resting on the fragment of a column. In his right hand he holds a style up to his mouth, in his left a book, inscribed "Childe Harold." He is dressed in a frock coat and cloak. Beside him on the left is a skull, above which is the Athenian owl. The likeness is, of course, posthumous. Thorwaldsen was born Nov. 19, 1770, and died on March 24, 1844.—Exchange.

A LAD OF MYSTERY.

"That Awful Boy Jones," Who Tormented Queen Victoria.

For a little while about the middle of the nineteenth century "that awful boy Jones" was the torment of Queen Victoria's life, and his short career in public contains a mystery which would try the mettle of Sherlock Holmes.

He was a barber's apprentice who in some unexplained way discovered a passage into Buckingham palace, with which he alone was acquainted. When he was first found trespassing he was gently admonished and sent home. Soon after he was encountered again in the palace. He would not tell how he obtained access. Again he was sent home, and again he reappeared.

Once he calmly admitted that he had been lodging in the palace for a fortnight. He had laid snug during the day, sleeping in the royal apartments, and at night had wandered from room to room, helping himself to the food left over from royal repasts. He had seen the queen repeatedly and indeed had never been far from her.

The matter was considered so serious that the boy was summoned before a special meeting of the privy council. He refused to give any account of his secret. Soon after he disappeared, and it is supposed that he was removed under state protection.—London Globe.

Grant in the Saddle.

Grant was at his best in the saddle. The one real record that he made for himself at the academy, the one time that he excelled all his fellows, was at the final mounted exercises of his graduating class, when, riding a famous horse named York, he was called upon to clear the leaping bar that the gruff old riding master had placed higher than a man's head. He dashed out from his place in the ranks, a smooth faced, slender young fellow on a powerful chestnut sorrel, and galloped down the opposite side of the hall, turned and went directly at the bar, the great horse increasing his pace as he neared it, and then, as if he and his rider were one, rising and clearing it with a magnificent bound. The leap is still recorded at the academy as "Grant's upon York."—St. Nicholas.

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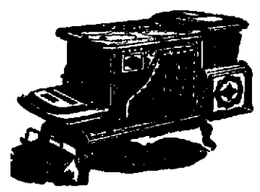

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